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TOPICS FOR CONVERSATION:

- I. Use of Intelligence Product in policy-making and decision-making process.  
  
Is the real depth and breadth of our intelligence knowledge brought to bear at the right place and with the right weight in the policy process?
- II. Organization of the U. S. Intelligence Community.  
Possible lines of improvement.  
  
More centralization?  
Duplication?  
Departmental versus national intelligence?
- III. Intelligence Provisions of the National Security Act of 1947.  
  
How has it worked?  
  
Any statutory changes?
- IV. Is the machinery for weighing intelligence advantages against risks adequate?  
  
Is there sufficient provision for review by non-intelligence people of intelligence activities?
- V. Comments on problem of official acknowledgment of intelligence gathering activities.  
  
Historical development of this.  
  
Comparison with British practice.
- VI. Comments on problem of coordination of policy and publicity statements following exposure of a sensitive intelligence activity.